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## The Wigan Railway Accident.

Nearly two years have elapsed since the terrible accident happened in the Wigan station, but the disaster which overtook the Scotch tourist train remains fresh and vivid in the public mind. The Court of Queen's Bench has, therefore, been traveling over familiar ground in its patient investigation of the causes of and responsibility for that great catastrophe. An eight days' trial has secured a searching and exhaustive enquiry into the facts, and has established the Company's liability for the consequences of the accident, not because they are insurers of travellers' lives, but because the calamity was either due to the faulty construction of the line, or to the carelessness of one of the company's servants, or to both causes in combination. By the disaster in question twelve persons were killed and about forty others more or less injured. Among the former was Sir John Anson, Bart., and it was his executors who sought to make the London and North-Western Railway Company responsible in damages for the loss which his death occasioned to his family. It was, however, accepted as a representative suit, which should determine the general question of the Company's liability; and by the decision in this case all the others will be governed. The verdict establishes the Company's liability, and, this point being settled, it now merely becomes a question as to the amount of compensation to which each claimant is entitled. The 'Times' having remarked that the accident was clearly due to the want of locking-bars on the facing points, adds: "Immediately after the accident, locking-bars were, in fact, put into use at Wigan, and the circumstance was not unnaturally accepted as a confession on the Company's part of what is now ascertained to be the truth. The Directors of the Company in defending the present action were doubtless actuated by a feeling of duty to the holders of their stock, and the magnitude of the penalties to which the decision of the jury has made them liable, fully justified them in subjecting the claims to the keenest scrutiny; but it may seem otherwise extraordinary that a question which involved no law and a very narrow and scarcely doubtful issue of facts should have been found so tedious and difficult of settlement."

The cremationists, who would resolve the dead into their constituent elements the shortest way by burning them, and Mr. Seymour Haden, whose plan is to bury them in wicker baskets, so that decomposition may be speedily and innoculously effected, alike claim that the dead should be disposed of so as to do the least harm and the most good to the living. The inhabitants of Admiralty Island, in the Pacific Ocean, adopt a way superior to the cremationists and basket buryers in both respects. The members of the Challenger scientific expedition which visited the Island in March were puzzled at finding no traces of the dead Islanders, but on enquiry had the mystery solved. The moment a native dies he "goes to pot" literally. His relatives cut him up and feed on boiled native as long as the provision lasts. When the members of the expedition asked if they would be eaten in case of death whilst on the island, the ingenuous natives smacked their lips over the possible feast, cast a wistful glance at the waiting pot, and assured the questioners there would be no needless delay in the culinary proceedings. They know how to put the defunct where they will do the most good. There is no possibility of a famine being of long continuance in Admiralty Island, for the more that die the more there would be to eat.

The famous "point d' Alencon" lace has for its origin the small island of Burano, about five miles north-east of Venice, where an aged woman, the last of her craft, has lately been found, who still possesses the secret of the burano manufacture. The Princess Giovanelli and the Countess Marcello have determined to found a school for the benefit of their poorer countrywomen, and sixty-seven pupils were at once obtained, who owing to the instructress' infirm state of health, could only receive tuition ten at a time. A hundred girls are now awaiting admission, although the remuneration at present to be received from the work is extremely small. It is said that it takes one workwoman 150 days of five working hours each to produce a single metre, and the pay is about 40 centimes (or 5d) a day. The development of this industry has been strongly recommended, both on artistic and utilitarian grounds, as no kind of manufacture exists more capable of giving sustenance to thousands with very small capital. As the demand for the first specimens has been very great, it is to be hoped that the remuneration of the workwomen will be advanced several stages.

## His Looks Deceived Him.

He did not look a joker. One to sit and study his face would have said that his soul was so lost in melancholy that he didn't care two cents whether the sun set at noon or staid up until 7 o'clock. He entered the ladies' sitting-room at the Central depot, walked up to a woman whose husband had left the room about ten minutes previously, and calmly inquired:

"Madam, your husband went out to see the river, didn't he?"

"Yes—why?" she asked, turning pale in an instant.

"He was a tall man, wasn't he?"

"He was," she replied, rising up and turning still paler.

"Had red hair?"

"He had—oh! what has happened?"

"Weighed about one hundred and eighty pounds?"

"Yes—yes—where is he—where is my husband!" she exclaimed.

"Couldn't swim, could he?"

"He's drowned—my husband is drowned!" she wailed.

"Had a silver watch-chain?" continued the stranger.

"Where is my husband—where is the body!" she grasped.

"Do not get excited, madame. Did your husband have on a gray suit?"

"Yes—oh! my Thomas! my Thomas!"

"And stoga boots?"

"Let me see him—let me see him!" she cried.

"Come this way, madam, but do not get excited. There, is that your husband across the street at that peanut stand?"

"Why, yes, that's him; that's my husband!" she exclaimed joyfully. "I thought you said he was drowned."

"No, madame, I did not. I saw him buying peanuts, and I believe it my duty to say to you that peanuts are not healthy at this season of the year!"

He slid slowly out, and she stood there and chewed her parasol and after him as if he were a managerie on wheels.—[Detroit Free Press.

**A. GILMORE** has just received a large invoice of *Oregon Tweeds and Flannels*, also, a large lot of *White Patent-fitting Shirts*, which will be sold CHEAP. Also, *Overcoats and Raglans, Boys' Clothing* and *Hats* of all sizes.

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### FOR SALE.

EARLY ROSE POTATOES,
TIMOTHY HAY, OAT HAY and
BLACK CURRANTS.
ALSO—A Man wanted to mow grass.
For particulars apply to G. RICHARDSON,
Victoria Hotel, Government St.
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**MOLASSES**—In tierces and barrels.
**RICE**—Extra No. 1, in 100lb sacks.
**PULU.**

WHARF STREET, July 26th, 1875. jy27

### H. M. COHEN

HAS REMOVED WITH HIS SPLENDID Stock of

**CLOTHING & DRY GOODS**

NEXT TO THE STANDARD OFFICE.
jy3

## A. GILMORE

Has removed to Yates street, next door to Wells-Fargo's, where he has a large stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods on hand, which must be sold before removing back to Government street. His friends and the public will have a chance for a short time of purchasing goods cheap. The best goods will be sold to-day.
jy31

## For Sale—To Let.

### For Sale.

IN NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT 945 Acres of Rich Delta Land on Lulu Island, viz:—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Block 4, North Range 5 West. For particulars apply to
M. J. GOODE,
Insane Asylum, Victoria, B.C.
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### Old Established Brewery and Saloon For Sale.

THE SALOON AND BREWERY OF THE undersigned, established in 1861 and situated on the Esquimalt Road, half-way between Victoria and Esquimalt, is offered for sale low.

The Buildings are well finished and commodious. The plant of the Brewery is most complete. The land comprises about Two Acres all under fence. There are three never-failing Wells of fine Spring Water on the Premises and every appliance for the immediate commencement of Brewing by a Company or Firm with a small capital. Reason for selling, retiring from business.

For particulars apply on the premises.
J. BLAND,
oc17 Half-way House, Esquimalt Road.

### Homestead For Sale.

THAT COMMODIOUS TWO-STORY VILla Residence situated on View street, above Vancouver street, now occupied by James Fell, Esq., with Orchard, Outhouses and Good Well of Water. The land comprises Four City Lots 60x120 feet each.

For further particulars apply to
EDGAR FAWCETT,
je13 2wdw Government street.

### TO RENT.

THAT LARGE & COMMODIOUS STORE, (26 ft. by 45 ft., height of ceiling 13 ft.,) well fitted with Counters and Shelving, situated on Victoria Crescent, Nanaimo, and lately occupied by Mr. S. D. Levi, is offered for Rent. A storeroom and cellar attached. For particulars apply to
JAS. McKAY SABISTON,
ap24dw Identical Hotel.

### Farm to Lease.

A FARM CONTAINING 160 ACRES OF Land in the Township of Langley, all Prairie, 50 acres are fenced and 15 acres laid down in grass. The productive quality of this land is well known to be the best in the Province. The weight of oats raised from the land last year was 48lbs. per bushel. The whole farm is now under contract to be fenced in. There is a new House containing 4 rooms upstairs, with kitchen and dairy attached. The Stock consists of 10 first class Milch Cows, 2 Yoke of Oxen and 28 head of different ages. This Stock has been selected from the Hudson Bay Company's large herd. The Farm Implements are all new. The whole will be let to a reliable party on advantageous terms.

Apply to the proprietor, H. WARK,
mh7 1mdw H. B. Co., Langley.

### NORFOLK FARM, PEDDER BAY, FOR SALE.

THIS FARM CONTAINS 204 ACRES; 70 acres of which are under cultivation.

The **Dwelling-house** is substantial and contains Eight Rooms. There are commodious **Barns**, the usual Outhouses, Dairy, etc.

Two neverfailing streams of water course through the farm; one stream will run a mill ten months in the year.

The property will be sold on advantageous terms. Arrangements may be made for the purchase of the Stock and Farming Implements. Apply to
A. BUNSTER,
Johnson st., Victoria.
Or to E. VINE,
oc20dw On the premises.

### CASSIAR EXPRESS,

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WILL LEAVE FORT WRANGEL ON every arrival of steamer California during the season, and is prepared to attend to any Express Business which may offer.

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WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
AND CALFSKINS
mh29 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf st.

### RAFFLE.

**Horse, Saddle and Bridle for $1 50**

GO TO McNIFFE'S, THE OLD GROTTO, and call for a Ticket of the Great Raffle for a nice Trotter, and a New Saddle and Bridle.

90 TICKETS, $1 50 A TICKET.

The Horse can be seen at Francis' Stables. jy8

### TO SETTLERS!

INTENDING SETTLERS WISHING TO secure land for Farming purposes can do so on Favorable Terms on application to JOHN McCLURE, C. E., Matsqui, or A. BUNSTER.
VICTORIA, June 30, 1875. jy1

### THOMAS STOREY, UNDERTAKER,

(Successor to the late R. LEWIS)

BEGS TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS of Victoria and neighborhood that, having purchased the Undertaking Furniture of the late Richard Lewis, he is now prepared to carry on the business in the above line.

Government Street,
Victoria, July 16, 1875. jy17 3m

## Notices.

### NOTICE—REMOVAL.

### R. B. THOMPSON, DENTIST,

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE to the Rooms recently occupied by the Mechanics' Institute, up stairs in the Occidental Buildings, corner of GOVERNMENT and FORT STREETS,
Victoria, May 1st, 1875. 4my

### NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.
JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875. ja22

### NOTICE,

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

### MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. mh4

### Mr. W. JACKSON,

(Late Resident Surgeon, Royal Hospital.)

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, Yates street, opposite Langley street, daily from 9 a.m. till 12 m., and 6 to 9 p.m.

Mr. Jackson has opened in connection with his Yates street office

**A Retail Drug Store.**

PRESCRIPTIONS DISPENSED.

RESIDENCE—Michigan street, James' Bay.
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### NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF **Mules or Horses**, BELONGING TO THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order,
MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

### NOTICE.

TENDERS FOR A LEASE OF THE HOUSE known as Deighton's Hotel, situate at Granville, Burrard Inlet, British Columbia, together with a tender for the purchase of the furniture and stock in said house, will be received by the undersigned up to 23d inst., for Charles Edward Pooley, Esq., Official Administrator of the Estate of John Deighton, deceased. A lease will be granted for five years, at a rent to be paid monthly.

The highest or any tender will not be necessarily accepted. JAMES MORRISON.
New Westminster, 9th July, 1875. jy13

## Governmental Injustice.

EDITOR COLONIST:—About the 9th of January last, during the severe cold weather, I hired my sloop to the Provincial Police Officers to proceed to Sooke and arrest a murderer, at $6 per day. I placed the sloop in charge of Sergt. McCarthy of Esquimalt. The next day I was informed that she had gone ashore on this side of Williams Head and had been abandoned there. I went down with three men to save the sloop. I was forced to put a new bottom in her and make other repairs, at a cost of $325. Owing to the wreck of my sloop I was thrown out of business all last winter. I have made repeated application to the Government to pay me the cost of repair only, and they have refused to do so. I am now summoned to pay the costs of the repairs and am unable to do it. Mine I consider to be a hard case, for if the Government can escape the responsibility of the damages inflicted upon my sloop while she was in the charge of its own officers, no person will in future be safe in assisting to bring criminals to justice.

Yours, etc.,
JOHN COLLINS,
Owner of sloop "Duncan."
Victoria, July 15, 1875. jy16

## A CARD.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I have lived 16 years in Victoria. I have a good character—pay my debts and always do a good business. Tie Hay owe me $55. Ah Sam tell Tie Hay you don't pay Ah Sou. Ah Sam troublesome man. He has been fifteen times in Court; he seems to like it. Ah Sam tell me four Chinamen going to chop my head.

AH SOU.
Victoria, May 25, 1875. my26 1m

### Notice to Mariners.

THE SHOAL PATCHES OFF THE SAND Spit, "Sidney Island," in "Sidney Channel," represented on the Admiralty Charts as having Two fathoms and Three fathoms at low water ordinary springs, are marked incorrectly.

The Eastern Shoal, or that nearest to the Sand Spit, has but SIX feet, and the Western Shoal but NINE feet of water at low tide ordinary springs.

JAMES COOPER,
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Agent.
British Columbia Agency, April 27th, 1875. ap2

### C. F. Barnard, M. D., DENTIST,

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:

**DOUGLAS STREET**

Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.

VICTORIA, May 11th, 1876.

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### R. Maynard,

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| Saanich................ | Thursday, 10 A. M......... | Wednesday, 9 A.M. |
| Sooke.................. | Monday, 3 P.M............ | Tuesday, 9 A.M. |

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

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FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874. no4

## MINERS, FARMERS, LUMBERMEN, Contractors & others, READ! MARK! LEARN!

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TESTIMONIAL.

"Harpenden, 7th March, 1871.

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SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 31st, 1875.

**L. P. FISHER,** 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

## Scatterbrains.

A few weeks ago a Scatterbrain, sitting in an editorial chair at Victoria, penned the following "tall talk:"

"The question will be forced upon the people of this Province whether they shall tamely submit to be treated as if they were so many untutored aborigines, or whether they shall accept the alternative suggested by Mr. Blake himself, declare their independence of Dominion control, and resume their former position as an independent British Province."

As we tried to show at the time, the sentiment expressed in the extract created here only a feeling of pity for the man who could place such unmitigated "bosh" before readers who know better than we can tell them that it is a repitition of the old fable of a certain longeared individual who robed himself in a lion's skin and whose true character was only detected when he tried to roar. If the paragraph had any greater significance than the counterfeit lion's attempt at roaring, it would have struck terror to the hearts of all upon whose ears it broke; but after eighteen months' of such "tall talk" with no better results than keeping alive a bitter feeling between British Columbia and Canada, people have grown tired of it, and want to be shown a practicable "route" through their difficulties instead of a road into a boundless quagmire of ills. It appears, however, that at least one of the Government papers in the East has taken the remark very much to heart, and the Victoria Scatterbrain has found a prototype in a Scatterbrain at London, Ontario, who, after printing the extract, trains his guns on British Columbia and fires this choice bit of braggadocio back again:

"If Columbia is prepared to abandon all the advantages she derives from her connection with Canada, to return to her old status, then let negotiations be commenced for that end. We have an idea that the prospect of separation would bring more fright to Columbia than to Canada, and that the possibility of being cast off would cause the wayward Western Province to humble her imperious tone more suddenly than gracefully."

We scarcely know which to admire, the fighting attitude of the Victorian, or the come-on-if-you-dare position of the Londoner. That each is anxious to get at the other is quite evident; and it is a pity that the Rocky Mountains will insist upon keeping asunder two excited creatures who appear so anxious to come together and share the fate of the Kilkenny cats. If there existed no barrier to the meeting we would suggest that Professor McCoun be called in to see "fair play," and that while the little unpleasantness is in progress, the people of British Columbia, eschewing "tall talk" and self-appointed delegates, shall set to work and endeavor to arrive at a satisfactory settlement of their troubles.

## Challenged to a Personal Combat.

[From Galignani's Messenger, June 24.]

The following is related as the concluding incident of the scene in the National Assembly caused by General du Temple's speech:—In descending from the tribune the General spoke to M. de Treveneuc, who had made himself conspicuous among those who demanded that the former should be requested to take his seat.

"I thought you were my friend," said he, with much irritation. "I am, first of all, the friend of good sense and outraged reason," replied M. de Treveneuc. "You always attack me. More than that, you attacked the Emperor when he was overthrown, and you support the Marshal because he is in office."

The Deputy thus reproached immediately sent two of his friends, Admiral de Kerjeiu and M. Depasse to the General, with a view to ask him seriously to reflect on what he had just said. The latter thereupon replied that he had not designed to insult M. de Treveneuc. At a little distance Baron Decazes, conversing with a neighbor, replied in a rather loud tone, "For cases of this kind doctors for lunatics are needed." General du Temple heard the expression and stopped. 'Do you intend that for me, sir?" said the General. 'Yes,' replied the latter boldly, "I said that when a man speaks as you have done, it is needful to have a doctor for lunatics."

"Sir, you are an impertinent fellow."

"Very well, sir," replied Baron Decazes; "I am going out. Will you just come and repeat that expression to me at the buffet?"

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Made especially for Breech and Muzzle-loading Guns.

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At SALESROOM, YATES STREET
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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
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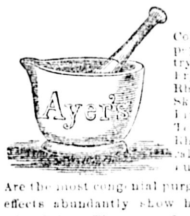

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Cloverdale, V.D., July 29, 1875. jy30

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It restores gray or faded hair to its youthful color.

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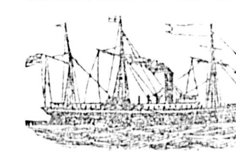

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### TEAS.

JAPAN TEAS in flowered and lacquered boxes.
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" " in 18lb boxes.
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CHOICE MANILLA CIGARS, 500 in a box.
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### Oilmen's Stores, a Large Assortment.

20 casks SAL SODA.
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### French Preserves.

MUSHROOMS in cases, 2 doz. each.
OLIVES " pints "
" Stuffed with Anchovies 1 doz.
GREEN PEAS, French Beans,
CAPERS, French Mustard.
OLIVE OIL, "Plagniol."
" in Barrels.
200 boxes Castille SOAP.
PRUNES in cases, 10lb tins.
ALMONDS, extra quality.
FRENCH VINEGAR in casks and cases.

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Flour Sacks, Underclothing, Men's Suits, Prints, Brown and White Cottons, Sheeting, Drillings, Towels—Turkish, Huck. and Honeycomb, Imit. Silk and Madder Handkfs., Crimean Shirts, White Shirts, Overshirts, Tablecloths, Napkins, Alhambras and Bolton Quilts, Blankets, 2½pt., 3pt., 3½pt., 4pt., all colors, etc., etc.

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Milner's Iron Safes and Boxes.
Galvanized Iron Buckets 11&12 in.
Glassware and Crockery.
Sheet Iron,
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RENAULT'S BRANDY do do
OTARD DUPUY & CO'S do
OLD TOM GIN in casks.
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SHERRIES " " Duff Gordon & Co's and other Fine Brands.
NAPOLEON'S CABINET CHAMPAGNE—(Henry Rhodes & Co. are sole agents in British Columbia for this favorite wine.)
RUINART PERE ET FILS Carte Blanche Champagne, a very superior dry wine.
20 Hhds CLARET.
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100 " GRAVES (A very dry and superior wine.

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BURGUNDY in quarts and pints, Nuits and Chambertin.
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All the above Wines have been selected with great care in France especially for Henry Rhodes & Co.

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MARASQUINO do do
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POUSSE CAFE do do
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### ALE AND PORTER.

Blood, Wolfe & Co's DUBLIN STOUT, quarts and pints.
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RUM, Jamaica & Demerara, in qtrs and hhds.
WHISKIES—Irish, Scotch, in cases.
" Scotch, Canadian and Bourbon, in bulk of the finest quality.

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TWO GOOD TINSMITHS. NONE OTHER need apply to
KELLY & TAYLOR,
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### Quarrymen Wanted

ON NEWCASTLE ISLAND, NANAIMO. Good Wages will be paid to practical men.
Apply to KINSMAN & STYLES,
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### Wanted,

2 OR 3 STONE SCABBLERS—
Apply to
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BENEVOLENT AND MUTUAL
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WILL HOLD THEIR
SIXTH ANNUAL
PIC-NIC
At Medana's Grove,
On SATURDAY, August 7th, 1875.

AN EXTRA SPACIOUS PLATFORM has been erected, and Schafer's Splendid Brass Band has been engaged for the occasion.

A series of National and Athletic Games will take place—New and Funny Games.

The grounds will be Gaily Decorated with Flags and Banderolles, and at night Splendid Illuminations, Lanterns, etc.

### A GRAND LOTTERY

Of Six Handsome Prizes, which can be seen in J. L. Jungerman's show window, will be drawn during the afternoon.

1st Prize—An Extra Large Suspended Marine Ice Pitcher and Vermeil Cup, the first imported at Victoria, value $50.
2d " —Heavy Plated Sugar Bowl.
3d " —Silver Table Set, Spoon, Knife, Fork and Tong.
4th " —Silver Butter Cup.
5th " —Milk Suspended Pot (Silver Plated.
6th " —A Silver Calling Bell.

Tickets for Lottery 12½ cents each.

At 9 o'clock p. m. the Largest

### Display of Fireworks

ever seen at Victoria and specially ordered at San Francisco from the celebrated manufactories of the U. S. Government.

Ascension of Six Large Balloons & Montgolfieres by S. L. Lucas, Esq.

### GAMES.

| | PRIZES. 1st. | 2nd. |
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| 1. Running Long Jump, ent. 25 cts. | $3 00 | 1 50 |
| 2. Hop, Step and Jump, ent. 25 cts. | 2 50 | 1 50 |
| 3. Sack Race, 50 yards, ent. 25 cts. | 2 00 | 1 50 |
| 4. Potatoes Gathering, ent. 25 cts. | 2 00 | 1 50 |
| 5. Umbrella Race, ent. 25 cts. | 2 00 | 1 50 |
| 6. Girls' Race, under 15 | 1 50 | |
| 7. Blind Race, ent. 25 cts. | 3 00 | 1 50 |

☞ The Games will commence at 2 o'clock p.m.

### Great Shooting Match,

Air Rifle and Pistol, for Ladies and Gentlemen, the best shot to receive a splendid Photographic Album.

HOP! THE SWALLOWING MAN "GARGANTUA."

ADMISSION 50 cts. CHILDREN 25 cts.

Reception Committee—P. Tisset, J. B. Mayerau.

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jy24 P. BOCION, Secretary.

### To Contractors.

PILES OF ALL SIZES MAY BE OBTAINED within easy distance of the water at Peddar Inlet, upon advantageous terms.

For particulars apply to
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ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIM on, or being indebted to this Estate, are requested to send in their accounts or to pay the amount of their indebtedness to

DRAKE & JACKSON,
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# NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,
Gun & Rifle Maker,
FORT ST., opp. Scotch House,
Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,
Central Fire Breech-Loaders,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.
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## Municipal.

### MUNICIPAL.

*REAL ESTATE TAX,* 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Real Estate Tax for the Current Year is due and payable at my office, Broad street.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector,
Corporation of City of Victoria.
Municipal Council Chambers,
Victoria, June 1, 1875. je1

### A Card.

IN RETURNING THANKS TO THE GENtlemen who so liberally patronized the late Jockey Club Saloon, Capt. Martin takes this opportunity of informing them that in a very short period he will open the

VICTORIA CLUB.

Nothing will be spared to render that place as comfortable as possible and make it worthy of his patrons.

Due notice will be given of the day of opening.

Victoria, B. C., July 20, 1875. jy21

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S. A. SPENCER.
Victoria, July 7, 1875. jy8 1m

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GOVERNMENT ST., bet. Johnson and Pandora,
—MAKES—
SLIPPERS, BOOTS AND SHOES
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With neatness and dispatch. Satisfaction guaranteed and Low Rates charged. jy15 3m

### FOR SALE CHEAP.

ONE COMBINED MOWER & REAPER—(Kirby's). Apply to
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## Works.

### MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, 3d September next, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for Four Years, between Head of Nicola Lake (Moore's) and Spence's Bridge, on and from 1st October next.

The mails to leave Head of Nicola Lake on Sunday, at 8 a. m.

Arrive at Spence's Bridge on Monday, at 4 p. m.

Leave Spence's Bridge on Tuesday, at 12 noon.

Arrive at Head of Nicola Lake on Wednesday, at 6 p. m.

Parties tendering to state for what sum they would perform the service once per fortnight, and for what sum once per week.

Conveyance to be made on horseback or on foot at the option of the contractor.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office at Nicola Lake, Spence's Bridge, Lytton and Yale.

R. WALLACE,
Post Office Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, July 30th, 1875. jy30dw

### Municipal.

### TO ARCHITECTS.

DESIGNS FOR A "CITY HALL" AND "City Market" are invited, and will be received by the undersigned until the 25th day of August next ensuing, at 4 o'clock p. m., at the City Clerk's Office, where further particulars can be obtained.

A Premium of $250 will be paid for the best and $100 for the next best design.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, July 10th, 1875. jy13

### VICTORIA DISTRICT SCHOOLS.

THE VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL be reopened on Monday next the 2d August, at the usual hour.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
jy29 Secretary and Treasurer.

### Partnership Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned have entered into a co-partnership under the firm name of Warner and Ragazzoni, as Restaurant and Saloon Keepers, in the premises formerly known as the French Hotel, on Government street, Victoria.

HENRY WARNER,
INNOCENT RAGAZZONI.
Victoria, July 29th, 1875. jy20 1m

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## Ships and Steamers.

### Bark Princess Royal.

NEITHER CAPT. ANDERSON NOR THE Hudson Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

For the Hudson Bay Co.,
jy27 WILLIAM CHARLES.

### Bark Princess Royal.

THE HUDSON BAY COMPANY'S BARK Princess Royal, Captain Anderson, from London, will commence discharging this (Tuesday) morning, July 27th.

Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after 5 o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

For the Hudson Bay Co.,
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THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER
OTTER,
CAPTAIN.................. McCULLOCH,

Will leave for Wrangel, calling at Woodcock's Landing, on or about Saturday Morning, 31st inst.

The Purser must be furnished with an invoice of all goods forwarded to Wrangel for Cassiar.

No freight will be received after 6 p. m. on Thursday next.

For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. jy24

### Notice to Shippers to Cassiar, Stickeen River.

THE STEAMER
Glenora

Will leave Fort Wrangel for Glenora, Stickeen River, ON HER LAST TRIP, on or about the 10th of September, 1875.

JOHN IRVING, Master.
Wrangel, July 10th, 1875. jy22

### FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.

THE O.S.S.CO'S STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA,
CAPT. JOHN HAYES,

Will leave Victoria for Sitka and Fort Wrangel, on or about 5th August, carrying Freight and Passengers.

For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to
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### For Neah Bay, Port Townsend, San Juan, Orcas Island, Victoria, New Westminster & Nanaimo.

THE O.S.S.CO'S STEAMSHIP
GUSSIE TELFAIR,
JOHN GARDINER, Master.

Will leave Portland regularly on the 1st and 15th of each month for the abovementioned ports.

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### FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE STEAMSHIP
Pacific,
CAPTAIN F. C. SHOLL,

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on or about the 11th and 25th of each month.

For Freight or Passage apply to
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—FROM—
VICTORIA TO PORTLAND
—FOR—
$7.50.

FARE
FROM VICTORIA TO OLYMPIA
And Way Ports,
ONE DOLLAR
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THE U. S. MAIL STEAMER
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Leaves Victoria every TUESDAY and FRIDAY Morning at 10:30
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Between Victoria and Olympia and all Way Ports
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Freight:

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| Merchandise | 80 Cents per Ton |
| Cattle per head | $1 00 |
| Horses and Mules | 1 50 |
| Sheep | 25 |

Best Accommodation Furnished.

Apply on board
P. D. MOORE, Purser.
May 26th, 1875. my26

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THE NEW AND COMMODIOUS Steamer
"ROYAL CITY,"
ASBURY INSLEY - - - - MASTER,
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RETURNING—Leaves Yale on Mondays and Fridays.

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# Daily British Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 31st, 1875.

## THE BRITISH COLONIST

**Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.**

### AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Wharf street, will sell at salesroom, at 12 o'clock noon, the Estate and Interest of Wm. Rippon, deceased, in Section 20, Range 4, in Mountain District.

## Municipal Police Court.

[Before A. C. Elliott, Esq.]

TUESDAY, July 30.

Francis Armstrong was brought up on remand charged with fradulently and unlawfully converting to his own use certain furs, &c., the joint property of Boscowitz Bros. and the said Armstrong.

The evidence in this case was given a few days ago.

Mr. Drake now addressed the Court on behalf of the defendant, who, he asserted, had gone into the business originally with $2000 and the schooner, and now found himself, if the plaintiff's statement were true, after some years of exertion, considerably in debt and with his schooner in need of repairs to the amount of $600. He contended that his client as a partner had a full right to sell the furs; that the whole affair was the result of an attempt on the part of a shrewd, sharp business man to take advantage of an ignorant, illiterate foreigner; that the entire case was a matter of account, and that if he could only get it into the Supreme Court he could show that with a proper settlement of accounts there would be a large balance due to his client. If the defendant had wished to defraud, nothing would have been easier than to go off, schooner and all. He had not done this. On the contrary they admitted having sold the goods and got the money, and were willing to pay over all that a just settlement would show to be due to the other party. He contended that the meaning of the words "fraudulently and unlawfully converting" was a matter for the Court of Equity to decide, and called upon His Honor to discharge the prisoner as there was no ground for a case against him.

After some little discussion as to the rules in such cases Mr. Drake maintaining that Mr. Robertson had not the right to reply, the Magistrate ruled in favor of the latter gentleman.

Mr. Robertson, for Messrs. Boscowitz, said the principal point was to ascertain if the prisoner had acted with a criminal intent. He controverted the assertion that the defendant had asked for a statement and alleged that one had been handed to him. He asserted that the defendant had sold the furs secretly and without due warning of his intention, such as a man would give whose sole object was to force a settlement. Mr. Boscowitz said that there had been no discontent shown previous to this occasion. Everything had gone smoothly till this trip, when prisoner suddenly sells part of the furs to the agent of a rival house at Alert Bay, comes down to Victoria with a lie in his mouth, and keeps his partner in the dark as long as he can. He submitted that there was a case for a jury.

The Magistrate, after a few remarks on the serious nature of the charge, committed the accused for trial, bail being fixed at himself in $3000 and two sureties in $1500 each.

RUBBISH.

Capt. Cosgrove, of the steamer Blakeley, was fined $25 for allowing ashes to be thrown into Victoria harbor.

THE Mountain *Sentinel* published at Le Grande, Union Co., Oregon, addresses its delinquent subscribers in the following strain: "We have heretofore taken bran and shorts, cabbage, potatoes, rutabagas, green wood, sour krout, green hides, old clothes, swill, feathers, fence rails and carpet rags for subscriptions, and lost money on them all. Hereafter we propose to take such truck and traffic only at San Francisco prices with freight added. We have made arrangements with the large commission merchants, Catchem & Keepem, in San Francisco, to dispose of any of the above articles at top prices and invest the proceeds in paper for our use. Anything that will buy paper in San Francisco will suit us."

THE constitution adopted by the Presbyterian council has been made public. The name given the new union is "Alliance of the Reformed Church throughout the world." All churches are included which hold the Presbyterian system and creed. The preamble of the constitution recites the object of the alliance, which aims to demonstrate the unity of belief among Protestants, to organize mission work, promote educational and social reform, and to oppose infidelity and religious intolerance.

BONDED WAREHOUSES.—Hon. Mr. Burpee has just issued a departmental order, which has been conveyed to merchants by means of a circular, announcing that the old bonded warehouse system is to be abolished, and that henceforth every importer who has a bonded warehouse—and how many have not?—must have it in a separate building from that in which he sells his goods. This regulation will bear heavily on some Victoria merchants.

WE CAN SPARE THEM.—Several gentlemen who have achieved greatness on the Sound from their proficiency at three card monte and other intellectual amusements, arrived by the Blakeley on Thursday night. They were interviewed by Inspector Bowden, and in consequence of his advice took tickets for San Francisco, thinking that a larger town would afford a better field for their abilities.

THE RIPPON ESTATE.—Plummer & Pagden will sell to day at 12, m. the valuable tract of coal land known as the Rippon estate.

THE steamer Blakeley, with the mails, left about 11 a. m. for the Sound. She had about 30 passengers.

THE steamer Enterprise cast loose at 8 a. m. yesterday with a pretty good list of passengers for the Mainland.

THE law against killing deer expires tomorrow; and grouse shooting commences ten days subsequent.

THE steamer Isabel left at 3 o'clock yesterday morning for the Sound.

## Failure of Duncan, Sherman & Co.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The *Evening Post* has the following in the financial column: "The quietness of Wall street was broken in the second hour of business by the announcement that the banking house of Duncan, Sherman & Co. had closed its doors and suspended payment. A clap of thunder in a clear sky could not have caused more consternation; and in the stock exchange, gold exchange, and cotton exchange there was great excitement. The liabilities of the house are given at inside of $6,000,000. The *Post* will publish this afternoon the following statement to creditors, prepared by Mr. Duncan and read at the stock exchange:

NEW YORK, July 27, 1875.

A careful examination of our business and affairs show us most unexpectedly that through losses and misfortunes our available assets are so reduced that we are compelled to go into liquidation. We reached this decision with deep regret, but the fact is that up to the latest moment our most unexampled credit having remained unimpaired would have compelled us, if we continued business, to hazard new obligations and incur new confidences which we were unwilling to assume. For protection of all our creditors, without any distinction or preference, we have this day made a general assignment to William D. Shipman, of this city, whose address for all matters connected with our affairs will be at our late counting house, 11 Nassau street.

(Signed,) DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.

Great excitement prevailed in the lower part of the city as soon as the rumored suspension was circulated. At first it was hardly believed, as no suspicion had been entertained. It is admitted the house lost very largely in cotton. In fact that is the principal loss. Involvements with various railroad enterprises, old and new, also entailed losses on the house.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The failure of Duncan, Sherman & Co., which was announced soon after 11 o'clock, caused the most intense excitement on the street. The direct cause of suspension is not as yet ascertained and various rumors are afloat, among which is one to the effect that their difficulties have been precipitated by the failure of A. & W. Collie, of London. Another report says their principal correspondents abroad are the Union Bank, of London, and Baring Bros. In 1873 arrangements were made with the Baring firm by which Duncan, Sherman & Co, were to be protected. It is supposed the withdrawal of the protection this morning was the immediate cause of their failure. They had opened their counting house, when a cable telegram from London decided them to suspend.

THE Grand Lodges of Idaho, Oregon and Washington Territory, and a number of other brethren, with their wives, daughters and sweethearts, will visit Victoria on the 19th inst., and will be received and entertained by the Masonic brethren of this city.

REV. A. B. NICHOLSON (Presbyterian) will preach on Sunday, Aug. 1st, at Colwood schoolhouse, 11 a. m.; Cedar Hill, 2:30 p. m.; and Craigflower schoolhouse, 4:30 p. m.

ALL LAID.—Contractor Preece reports the mains laid from the reservoir to St. John's Church, — with the exception of a valve that is being cast. Early next week the water will be turned on.

THE steamer Otter will sail for Fort Wrangel and way ports this morning.

THE mail steamship Salvador sails from San Francisco for Victoria to-day.

## A Good Example

The directors of the London and Westminster Bank—which usually pays a dividend of sixteen or seventeen per cent.—have decided to declare a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the paid up capital of £2,000,000, for the half year ending the 30th of June. The net profits for the six months, after the usual deduction for bad and doubtful debts, amount to £252,000. Of that, £100,000 will absorbed by the dividend, the balance—the enormous sum of £152,000—being carried to the rest, which will then amount to £1,167,000. From this £500,000 will be transferred to "a special suspense account," in order to meet all contingencies arising out of the exceptional losses of the past year. The reserve will thus stand at £667,000. The *Economist* says the estimate of loss includes everything there is the least ground for suspecting, and commends this action of the bank as the wisest and most moral, and every way preferable to estimating "the possible loss low, to write off but little, and, above all things, to declare as high a dividend as possible." Any other course than fairly meeting the facts is not only wrong but dangerous, and strikes at the credit of a bank, which is its life. The example of the London and Westminster Bank is one which should be imitated by all joint stock banks which have had losses. The bold course of taking the bull by the horns is the only one which will ultimately redound to credit and strength.

THE RAYMOND SEWING MACHINE.—Intending purchasers of sewing machines should select a machine which combines cheapness with undeniable excellence. The possession of these qualities by the Raymond Machine has so increased the demand for them that during the past year a second manufactory has been built in order to keep up a sufficient supply. The Raymond Machine is equal if not superior to the high priced American machines and costs about half the price. The Raymond is easy to learn and light running, and is supplied, without extra charge, with all the new improvements. A fresh supply received by A. B. Gray, Albion House, Government street. Sole Agents for B. C.

A GREAT VARIETY OF NOVELTIES received by last steamer, are now for sale by THOS. WILSON & CO., consisting of Grenadines Yosemites, French Muslins, Prints, Piques and a large assortment of other new Dress material. Shawls, white and colored Skirts, children's Pique and Tassore Costumes, Sun-shades, Ribbons, Feathers, Flowers, Ladies' Silk Scarfs, plain and fancy Dress Buttons, &c. These goods having been bought direct from the Manufacturers will be sold cheap.

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## LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

### Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—This afternoon the following was received by Surgeon-General Barnes: Fort Barrances, July 28.—Five deaths since my report last evening. Dr. Steinberg is dead. We have no news from Pickens Fort last 48 hours. (Signed) J. M. Brennan, Brig. Maj.-Gen., Commanding.

The following dispatch received from Banances: Lieut. Despler died at 6:40 P. M. to-day.

NAVY YARD, PENSACOLA, July 29.—Mrs. L. T. Andles died last night. Twenty-nine deaths at Baaraces out of sixty four cases. All well in the yard.

TERRE HAUTE, July 28.—A freight train going north on the L. N. and Chicago R. R. this P. M. went through a trestle work forty feet high, between Putnam and Cloverdale, and killed the engineer, conductor, and head brakeman. The fireman had one leg and an arm broken.

MARCELLA, July 28.—A severe storm passed over this place last night causing heavy loss of property. The five-story warehouse of the Marcella chair factory was blown down and with the contents destroyed. Loss estimated, $75,000. The whole country is submerged and crops are greatly injured.

CAIRO, ILLINOIS, July 28.—Capt. Sydney was shot and killed last night while writing in his own house at Carbondale. The perpetrator is unknown but he is suspected to be one of the Willow, Boon Co. band, as deceased had been threatened by them.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Gold closed at 12⅝@12¾.

ST. LOUIS, July 28.—The St. Louis "Evening Dispatch" has a special from Springfield, Mo., that a report had reached there that Colonel Wm. Ross, principal chief of the Cherokee Indians and candidate for re-election to that position, was assassinated yesterday near Fort Gibson by a party of political opponents. Col. Bowden who was in the territory is said to have fled north.

ST. LOUIS, July 29.—A dispatch from a credible source in the Indian territory says, the report circulated yesterday that chief Ross has been assassinated is untrue. He is at home and well, and has been in no difficulty. His re-election next Monday is certain.

## A Terrible Calamity.

[St. Petersburg (June 25th) Correspondent of the London Standard.]

The disaster which has recently destroyed the town of Morschauk, in Russia, has been noticed in the telegrams.

The fire began about four o'clock in the afternoon in one of the faubourgs, at a distance of nearly half a mile from the town proper, and within a few hours the whole town, over an extent of five versts, was the prey of the flames. A violent wind drove the flames in all directions, causing them to overleaped all the open squares and even the river.

As the fire grew the wind became a tempest, and enormous planks and sheets of iron, torn from the falling houses, were hurled as high as the second story of houses still standing. Cases of goods allowed to float along the river were burned on the water.

Some of the papers of the public offices have been found at a distance of sixty versts from the town, and the glow of the fire lighted up the horizon to a distance of ninety versts. The fire spread about a hundred wooden houses at one end of the town, but of the brick buildings hardly ten have escaped.

All the public edifices, with the exception of the school and several churches, have been destroyed. The destruction of property has been entire. Many of the inhabitants trusted to cellars and vaults, but they nearly all fell in. As the fire spread, furniture and other effects were removed to gardens and other open places, but in vain, the flames soon reached them and reduced all to ashes.

Only one of the corn depots was saved. It is calculated that 1,000 buildings have been burned, and that the loss cannot be less than 5,000,000 roubles. About 200 lives were lost and several thousand persons were wounded.

Succor, in the shape of provisions, clothes and money, was instantly forwarded from Tamroff, Reizan and other places, to the unfortunate citizens of Morschansk, literally wandering about the woods or sheltering under carts, having lost everything, and the number of the homeless and destitute exceeded 10,000.

Three days after the fire the corporation of the town petitioned the Government for a loan of 3,000,000 roubles, to be redeemed in thirty years. The official report concludes with saying the inhabitants support the disaster which has overthrown them with exemplary patience, and it is apparent that the town has already emerged from the chaotic state into which it was first necessarily plunged.

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE.—Mr. A. J. Pinkstone, traveling agent for this leading, excellent and enterprising journal is in this city, having arrived by the Pacific. He will wait upon our citizens during next week and solicit their subscriptions to the "live" journal he represents.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

## English Mail.

A Chinese commission of dockyard officials from Foochow are about to visit Portsmouth and the other national establishments, under the guidance of a French naval lieutenant as interpreter. The object of the Commissioners is to decide upon the most perfect type of an ironclad for the Chinese Navy.

In consequence of Mr. Maconchie's suspension there was no celebration of the Holy Sacrament at St. Alban's, Holborn, yesterday, but after the first lesson, at the invitation of the officiating minister, the congregation proceeded to St. Vedast's, Forsterlane, about a mile distant, where the Communion service was performed with full Ritualistic ceremonies.

The three days' sale of Mr. Gladstone's collection of antique and rare china terminated on Friday. The total proceeds reached £5,815. The pictures, 100 in number, of the Italian, Spanish, Flemish, and English schools, were sold, realizing £3,481.

The Duke of Marlborough's famous collection of gems was sold by auction, in one lot, for 35,000 guineas, the eventual purchaser being Mr. Bromilow, Buttesden-park, Bedfordshire.

The Magistrate and nautical Assessors who inquired into the loss of the steamship Schiller, off the Scilly Islands, have reported to the Board of Trade their conclusions that the calamity was attributable to the captain's neglect of the company's instructions.

A German paper gives a list of Prince Bismarck's decorations, now 42 in number. They comprise German, Belgian, Greek, Italian, Dutch, Austrian, Spanish, Swedish, Turkish Tunisian, Persian, and Siamese Orders, also the Danish Drnnebrog Grand Cross, the Grand Cross of the French Legion of Honour, the Austrian Iron Crown, the San Marino Grand Cross, and a medal for saving a drowning man, this last being the first in point of date. It would certainly be difficult for the Prince to wear all or even half these distinctions at one time. A number of the German Orders were conferred by Potentates who, much against their will, have since been placed on the retired list.

At a meeting of the Society of Antiquaries, on Thursday last, Dr. Schliemann read a paper upon his assumed discovery of the site of Homeric Troy. Mr. Gladstone, M. P., subsequently spoke, and, while paying a high tribute of praise to Dr. Schliemann's learning and industry, suggested some doubts as to the entire accuracy of the conclusions arrived at.

A meeting was held in London, at which it was resolved to open a public subscription for the erection of a statue of Lord Byron in some conspicuous place in London. Mr. Disraeli presided, and speeches in favour of the project were made by the Earl of Malmesbury, Earl Stanhope, and Mr. G. A. Sala. General Wilson stated, on behalf of the Americans, that they claimed a share in Byron and the right to contribute to the memorial. He was sure his countrymen would gladly furnish at least a quarter of the $10,000 which it is estimated the statue would cost.

Sir Charles Dilke offered a motion in the House that, it is the duty of the Government to inquire into the various methods for a juster distribution of political power, with the view to securing the more complete representation of the people. He called attention to the increase of population in the large towns and the decrease in the small boroughs. Mr. Disraeli replied that such anomalies were inevitable, and a periodical revision of the constitution was necessary to prevent them. He declared the present system was the admiration of the world. The House divided, and the motion was lost by a vote of 120 yeas to 190 nays.

Mr. Albert Grant has purchased the 'Echo,' and will turn the little sheet into a morning Conservative paper. The price Mr. Grant is said to have paid is £30,000; but if the truth were known, £6,000 would probably be nearer the mark.

The 'Times,' July 3, says:—"A discovery of hidden treasure has just been made at Buckingham Palace. During some alterations, and while the workmen were engaged in pulling down a wall, a large quantity of gold and silver plate of about the time of George III., and supposed to be worth several thousand pounds, was discovered in a place of concealment.

The Marquis of Lorne has contributed a piece of poetry to the new number of 'Good Words,' entitled a 'Legend of Mull."

Mrs. Mina Jury has been sentenced by the magistrates at Knutsford to three months' hard labor for having stolen a pair of eyeglasses.

The common fault of all books intended for school or college in the United States is, says the 'Saturday Review,' that of extreme superficiality and incompleteness.

Besides the measles, which are still prevalent in the Fiji Islands, there has been another outbreak of typhoid, and great mortality has been caused by these epidemics.

The price paid by the Duke of Westminster to Mr. Peck for Doncaster was £13,000, an advance of £3,000 upon the amount given for the animal by the well-known trainer.

A correspondent writes to the 'Pall Mall Gazette:'—It is a curious fact that the first regatta held in England was held on the Thames on the 23rd June, 1775, a century to a day before this year's meeting at Henley.

The death is reported in England of Capt. Kennedy, whose name has for the last forty years been associated with English chess. He played even games with Mr. Buckle, whom Anderson declared to be the finest player of his country.

An exhibition of wicker coffins, has been held in London, the object being to devise a means for the more rapid destruction of the body. Whereupon the undertakers have held a meeting and called upon the trade to form a society against the "spread of notions which threaten to injure our craft and degrade the remains of our common humanity."

Last week the total number of paupers in the metropolis of London was 85,413, of whom 33,817 were in workhouses, and 52,596 received out-door relief. Compared with the corresponding week in the years 1874, 1873, and 1872, these figures show a decrease of 9,623, 16,477, and 21,262 respectively.

## The Unknown Sea.

The recent dispatch of the British Arctic expedition, with the best preparations which science and experience could afford, is an event not to be passed over in the maritime history of our race. From the century since the old Norse pirate followed his three crows out over the unknown ocean till he discovered Iceland, and the bold voyages of Norwegian rovers to the coast of New England, every branch of the race has been inspired with a passion for exploring dangerous and unknown seas. It would seem that any sea or land, unattainable and impassable, was a kind of defiance to the Viking blood in our veins, and that we could not rest till the unknown was explored and the dangers conquered. Afar in the north there is one desolate region, given up to eternal snow and storm, only traversed by the bear and reindeer, which has thus far defied the boldest of our explorers. Many gallant lives have been sacrificed to reach it, and considerable sums of money expended in vain. The mystery of the Polar region is unsolved. Whether there the various currents meet, and the warm return water from the equator causes an open sea, is more than doubtful. More probable is it that inexperienced navigators have been misled by the so called "water sky," and that really eternal ice and snow stretched to the very poles, only to be reached by sledge-journeys made from the ship as a base, after Winter has frozen it in its icy dock. Many American and English navigators, however, still have faith in the open sea, and the new expedition, we believe, starts with confidence in the possibility of reaching it. They have before them, to incite them on, the trophies of the American expedition, whose vessel—the Polaris—reached the most northerly point ever attained by a ship—82 degs. 16 sec.; probably the most northerly point of Greenland.

Within the past few years a remarkable number of these expeditions have been made by the Teutonic race. Apart from the English and American, with which our readers are familiar, there was the Austrian expedition of 1872, and the Swedish of the same year, neither of which added materially to our knowledge of this unexplored region; and, most remarkable of all, the German Arctic exploration of the coast of East Greenland in 1869 70. Nothing in the most thrilling Arctic adventures can equal the experiences of the crew of one of these vessels—the Hansa—who, abandoning their ruined vessel, floated on an ice-floe some 500 miles down the coast of Greenland, escaping almost miraculously iceberg and storm and all the tremendous convulsions to which their frail raft was liable until they finally took to their boats, and just avoided death by starvation in reaching the mission stations on the southernmost point of Greenland. The other vessel, the Germania, wintered far to the north of this coast, and was enabled to send a sledging party, who drew their own sledge, under immense difficulties, to the most northerly point ever reached, or about 77 degs. This company had the time and means to make many additions to our knowledge of the Arctic regions. And yet one feels, in reading of these and the Austrian explorations, that there is a kind of bungling in the preparations, and great ignorance in the matters of outfit, which our expeditions do not show. The truth is that English and Americans have had a much larger experience in these arduous expeditions than any other nations, and tradition teaches much which science does not at once suggest. It should be observed, however, that the modern inventions in preserving fresh meat and vegetables have entirely removed one great danger of Arctic voyages—the scurvy—and the three months' night now inspires no terror. There are dangers, however, which no science or foresight can avert. The terrific power of the ice, when storms or tides force floating ice against the more fixed ice near the shore, is something which all man's art cannot guard against. The physical vigor too for making land journeys against the most tremendous storms, in deep snow, and with the thermometer 27 deg. below zero, is something that will always be wanting in the human race.

In this, however, the employment of Esquimaux dogs will give a great advantage, and perhaps a ship will at length be able to winter so far north that these sledge journeys can reach the Pole. The German expedition has established the fact that all efforts to reach the Pole on the east coast of Greenland are vain. Greenland itself, under their investigation, seems more like a collection of islands and deep fiords than a continent. The Austrian expedition seems to have demonstrated that the Pole cannot be reached through the sea north of Nova Zembla. Whatever chance there may be for discovering the Polar Sea, or attaining the North Pole, is probably in the course to be followed by the British expedition, to the west of Greenland. All that brave men can do, guided by science and experience, will undoubtedly be done by these explorers. Still, fortune controls even such daring adventurers as these. A single collision of ice-floes, an unexpected iceberg, a storm of unusual violence, may end the expedition. Of this, however, we may be assured, that sooner or later man will place his foot on the polar snows.

A CONTENTED EDITOR.—The following story will serve to illustrate at once the character of Mr. Black, who died in 1855, and the position of the London "Chronicle" in its palmy days:—Mr. Black was a great favourite with Lord Melbourne when the latter was Prime Minister. His lordship esteemed him, not only for his great learning, his wonderful memory, his apt illustration of every topic of discourse by an apparently inexhaustible fund of ancedote derived from the most recondite sources, but for his simplicity and bonhomie. John Black was a modern Diogenes in everything but his ill-nature. On one occasion Lord Melbourne said to him:—"Mr. Black, you are the only person who comes to see me who forgets who I am." The editor opened his eyes with astonishment: "You entirely forget that I am Prime Minister." Mr. Black was about to apologize, but the Premier continued:—"Everybody else takes especial care to remember it, but I wish they would forget it. They only remember it to ask me for place and favours. Now, Mr. Black," added his lordship, "you never have asked me for anything, and I wish you would, for, seriously, I should be most happy to do anything to serve you." "I am truly obliged," said Mr. Black, "but I don't want anything. I am editor of the *Morning Chronicle*. I like my business, and I live happily on my income." "Then, by Heaven!" exclaimed the peer, "I envy you, and you're the only man I ever did."

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province Prepared his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

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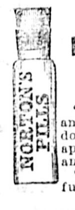

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## EXTRACT FROM A LETTER

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"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep, and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.

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### JOHN B. LOVELL

Will continue to keep a large general

**ASSORTMENT OF MERCHANDISE**

Suitable for the Trade, to be sold at the

**Lowest Market Rates!**

He is also prepared to do a

**General Storage, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION BUSINESS.**

And in reference to this branch, he begs to return thanks to those Men of Business who patronized him last year, and to whom he refers all other intending shippers who may require his services, as to his **Responsibility, Care and Attention to Business.**

JOHN B. LOVELL.

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## HOCKIN & FRASER,

**FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**

TELEGRAPH CREEK, CASSIAR.

HAVING ERECTED COMMODIOUS WAREhouses, we are prepared to

**Receive, Store and Forward to the Mines**

**GOODS OF ALL KINDS TO ANY AMOUNT,**

**At the Lowest Rates.**

We have also attached to the Establishment

**A BAR & RESTAURANT,**

Where Refreshments and Meals may be had at all hours.

ALSO—A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

**Merchandise**

Of Every Description.

HOCKIN & FRASER.

*Particular attention will be paid to Goods Consigned to our Care.*

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## A. CHOQUETTE,

## EXPLORER, TRADER,

—AND—

**INTERPRETER,**

HAS REMOVED TO A POINT ON STICkeen River near the Hot Springs, and opposite the Glacier, and is now ready to supply friends and customers with

**Groceries, Can Goods, TOOLS, Clothing and Liquors.**

At my store on TELEGRAPH CREEK will be found a large assortment of Goods, excepting Liquors.

ALSO—STORAGE.

**BATHING.**

A shed will be erected over the HOT SPRINGS, where invalids may enjoy bathing.

jy22 A. CHOQUETTE.

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## Ex Steamer Pacific.

**CANADIAN CHEESE**

OF THE BEST QUALITY.

**Confectionery and Maple Sugar.**

For Sale by R. CARR,
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**ARCHITECT**

*Corner of Fort and Langley Streets,*

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## CHONG HING,

he celebrated manufacturer of

**Good Cigars.**

HAS REMOVED FROM STORE STREET to Johnson street next door to On Hing's.

He is now making the

Best Havana Cigars and Good Common Cigars.

The Trade Supplied jy11 6m

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YOUNG LADIES'

## BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL.

FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT STREET,

VICTORIA, B. C.

THE SECOND SESSION OF THE SIXteenth year of this institution will begin on the 14th July, 1875. Parents or guardians who wish to place their wards or daughters as boarding or day scholars will please make timely application to

MADAME PETIBEAU,
TERMS MODERATE. Principal.

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## NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

**Mrs. Maynard's**

**NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY**

CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS

VICTORIA, B. C.

IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. jy23

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## MATTHEWS, RICHARDS & TYE,

**Yates St.,**

**IRON, STEEL Hardware, Etc.**

TO BE SOLD CHEAP—

BUCKEYE MOWERS & REAPERS,
KIRBY MOWERS & REAPERS,
KIRBY MOWERS.

Agents for the Buckeye Mowers & Reapers. je8

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# Political.

## Gentlemen Electors of Lillooet District.

YOUR PRESENT REPRESENTATIVES to the Provincial Parliament having served their term, you will be called on to elect two others to represent the district for the next four years. Gentlemen, I think that you will agree with me that a change in your representation will undoubtedly benefit the district, I therefore offer myself as a candidate for the representation of your district in the next Parliament, and pledge myself, if elected, to serve you in truth and honesty and to the best of my ability, leaving no stone unturned in trying to secure the welfare and interests of the district and country in general. Being a comparative stranger to some of the electors I feel it my duty, as far as this notice will allow, to acquaint them with my reasons for soliciting their suffrages. Being a Nova Scotian by birth and bred, as it were, under Responsible Government, and knowing and feeling that Responsible Government, when honestly and justly administered, is the best Government yet given to a people. Having spent the last 25 years in traveling through California, Australia, New Zealand and British Columbia—the last 14 years spent here, and having seen and felt the evil effects of an arbitary Government, I therefore feel that experience has taught me which is the best Government. I am therefore prepared to uphold a Government who will give no monopolies in forest, field, mines or fisheries; who will equalize taxation, economize the treasury, immediately survey the public lands, give free grants to actual settlers, and a just franchise to all British subjects; seek indemnification for nonfulfilment of Terms of Union in regard to railroad through British Columbia, and legislate so as to remove all obstacles on our part to the commencement and completion of the railroad through British Columbia. Gentlemen, these are some of the subjects that direct legislation, and you must send men who are determined to see the evils which now crush the country remedied as soon as possible. Gentlemen, if you think I am worthy and capable of representing you in Parliament and do me the honor to accept my services, and elect me as your representative, I can assure you your confidence will not be misplaced.

I therefore beg to remain yours to command,

je16 w JOHN L. LORD, Lillooet.

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## Electors of Cowichan District.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to offer myself as a candidate for the representation of this district in the next Parliament. With most of you I am personally acquainted, to others among you to whom I am not known I beg to state that I am an Independent candidate, belonging to no political party.

I trust to be able to see most of you before the election takes place, and should you do me the honor to return me as one of your representatives I pledge myself to serve you to the best of my ability.

I will support any measure calculated to give to British Columbia a Modified Tariff, which I think ought to be granted us as part indemnification for the non-fulfilment of the Terms of Union.

I will strongly advocate retrenchment in the public expenditure. I consider the completion of the Trunk Road of great importance to the East Coast settlements and that no Government ought to be allowed to neglect it. I will urge the immediate settlement of the Indian land question and the opening of the 20-mile belt on the Island for immediate settlement.

I remain, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,

jy3dw W. By. LOMAS.

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## FRENCH MEDICINES

PREPARED BY

**GRIMAULT & CO.,**

**PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTS,**

8, RUE VIVIENNE,

**PARIS.**

OF all the medicines offered to the public for many years past, none have met with such favorable reception, or been so generally approved by the Medical Profession, as those prepared by Grimault and Co.

The model laboratories of this firm, situated at Neuilly-sur-Seine, and managed by Dr. Leconte, Professor in the Faculty of Medicine, ex-Pharmacist of the Hospitals of Paris, and formerly Assistant of Dr. Claude Bernard, Professor of Physiology at the College of France, offer guarantees to be found in no other establishment.

### NURSING—PREGNANCY—EXHAUSTION.

**Dusart's Lactophosphate of Lime Preparations.**

The preparations having Lactophosphate of Lime at their base, known as Dusart's Wine and Syrup are the most valuable tonic restoratives known. They promote the formation and the nutrition of tissues, render nurses' milk more rich and plentiful, and aid the formation of the infant during pregnancy. They stimulate the appetite, agree with feeble persons, convalescents, old people, and especially with children to counteract the tendency to rickets.

GRIMAULT & CO'S

### Syrup of Hypophosphite of Lime.

An excellent remedy for all affections of the chest; it relieves coughs, effectually prevents nocturnal perspiration, and restores the patient's strength. This syrup is the only one which, ever since 1857, has invariably been attended with satisfactory results—a fact due to the purity of the hypophosphite employed. Be sure to observe that it bears the signature of Grimault and Co., on bottles of an oval shape, the syrup being always of a rose colour.

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### Matico Injection and Capsules.

Composed of the essence extracted from the plant so called, they have been constantly employed with the most brilliant success in a certain class of contagious disease.

They combine extraordinary efficacy with the advantage of never causing nausea, eructations, or pains in the stomach, as do the gelatinous capsules which contain Balsam of Copahu in a liquid state; or the strictures which result from the use of injections having a metalic basis.

FOR SALE BY

**Langley & Co,**

**VICTORIA,**

Agents for British Columbia.

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## Thos. L. Eastwood,

**PAINTER, GLAZIER AND PAPERHANGER,**

Government Street, Victoria.

NOTICE.—T. L. EASTWOOD HAVING taken the shop next to J. Sehl's Furniture Store, respectfully informs the public of Victoria that he is prepared to do all kinds of Plain Painting, Paperhanging and Coloring at Reasonable Rates.

Pictures Mounted and Framed, and Jobbing punctually attended to. je5

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## THE HUDSON'S BAY COMP'Y

HAVE RECEIVED

**Ex "Princess Royal,"**

JUST ARRIVED FROM LONDON,

A Large Assortment of

**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES AND LIQUORS,**

Which they now offer for Sale at REASONABLE RATES.

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## NOTICE—REMOVAL.

**H. MANSELL**

Has Removed his Business to premises in STANDARD BUILDING, GOVERNMENT St., where can be found one of the Largest and most varied

**STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES**

In British Columbia, which will be SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH!

GENTS' BOOTS Made to Order in the most approved style.

REPAIRING Neatly and Quickly Done. jy10

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**LIMITED,**

Respectfully Notify Shipmasters and Others that the

**Steamers GRAPPLER and BEAVER,**

Under the command of Experienced Captains, are now ready to tow vessels to NANAIMO, BURRARD INLET and elsewhere at Moderate Rates.

C. MORTON, Chairman,
VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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## WOODS' HARVESTING MACHINES.

OPPENHEIMER BROS.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE Agents in British Columbia for the sale of

WOODS' HARVESTING MACHINES,

HAVE ON HAND

Mowers,
Combined Mowers & Reapers,
Self-Raking Reapers.

These Machines have been awarded

**First Premiums**

At Fairs held in every part of the world.

Strength and durability are combined with Cheapness and utility.

Call and examine Premium List and procure Circulars. OPPENHEIMER BROS.,
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**For Sale.**

ONE CLIPPER MOWER, Sulky Rigged.

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**ARCHITECT,**

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.

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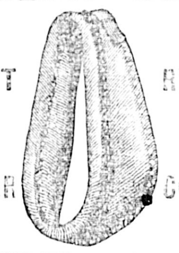
## SADDLERY DEPOT.



**FRED'K NORRIS**

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Has now on hand the largest and most complete stock in the Province, consisting of

**LADIES' AND GENTS' SADDLES. Bridles, Whips, Spurs, &c.**

Also, a large stock of

**Single and Double Harness, Trunks' Valises, Etc.**

GOVERNMENT STREET, NEAR JOHNSON'S

Sole Leather Trunks and Valises on hand and made to order.

Parties in the Trade supplied on Reasonable Terms.

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## Thomas W. Fletcher,

**ELECTRO SILVER PLATER & GILDER,**

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RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS THE CITIzens of Victoria to call and examine specimens of his work, which will be found equal to the best imported.

Housekeepers and others wishing to have their

**TABLEWARE, & TEA SERVICES**

REPLATED OR GILT

Can have them done on very REASONABLE TERMS

**Forks or Spoons Plated at $3 per Dozen.**

OTHER WORK IN PROPORTION.

Old Platedware and Old Silver Bought. Repairs of all kinds neatly done. jy1

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**WASHING, IRONING & FLUTING**

DONE WITH NEATNESS AND DESPATCH,

38 FORT STREET, opp. Willson's Grocery,

Has had ten years experience in the best Laundries in the United States upon the most difficult work.

Satisfaction guaranteed and very Low Rates.

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## ELI HARRISON, Jr.,

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**Masonic Building,**

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

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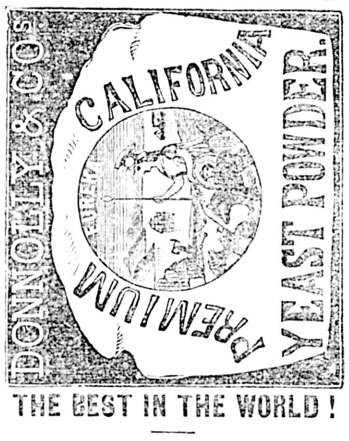

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NO HOUSEKEEPER CAN MAKE SWEET AND WHOLESOME BREAD WITHOUT IT.

This well known and long established YEAST POWDER is now in great demand. Sales increasing daily. Now 25 gross per day to the trade. D. CALLAGHAN now sole manufacturer and proprietor, uses no drugs—no bad dust, pure white cream of Tartar, imported direct and ground on the premises, being the chief ingredient.

Always on hand and for sale at lowest prices:

**Callaghan's Yeast Powder,** in 1 lb cans, a superior article.

**Callaghan's Cream of Tartar,** in all styles of packages.

**Callaghan's Pure English Bi-carbonate of Soda and Saleratus.**

FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS

—ALSO—

**Cream of Tartar Crystals and English Bi-carbonate of Soda, in kegs.**

FOR SALE BY

**D. CALLAGHAN & Co, Manufacturers**

**121 FRONT STREET, San Francisco.**

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## ON HING,

Dealer in

**Groceries, Dry Goods,**

**Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps**

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To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. fe11 2m

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## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 4 of 1875.

POINT ATKINSON REVOLVING LIGHT.

Notice is hereby given that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Point Atkinson, at the north westerly entrance to English Bay and Burrard Inlet in the Straits of Georgia, British Columbia.

Latitude 49 deg. 19 min. 42 sec. N.

Longitude 123 deg. 15 min. 54 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the catoptric principle, elevated 119 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st May next. The light will show at intervals of one minute, making a complete revolution in two minutes.

The tower is a square building with dwelling house attached, painted white, elevated 40 feet from summit to centre of Light. The Light will be visible round an arc of the horizon from the entrance to Burrard Inlet to an E. by N. ¼ N. bearing, and should be seen in clear weather 14 or 15 miles distant.

The Light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of North by vessels in the Straits, as this bearing will only lead clear of Sturgeon Bank off Fraser River.

The Bearings are magnetic.

The Light is for coast purposes and to indicate the entrance to Burrard Inlet.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

DEPARTMENT OF MARINE & FISHERIES,
Ottawa, 22nd February, 1875. mh31 2mdw

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## New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY
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# Insurance.

## The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

**GOVERNOR:**

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

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## Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,

LONDON,

**Instituted, 1803.**

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

**Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.**

**Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.**

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Of San Francisco.

**MARINE.**

Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.

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(FROM CANTON)

**Surgeon and Physician,**

CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.

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THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

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## Thomas Hankin,

**GENERAL TRADER**

Hazelton, Forks of Skeena,

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**GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.**

**FIFTY TONS Good Timothy Hay**

FOR SALE.

Packers and others returning from Cassiar will find FEED for their animals late in the Fall at Hazelton. my28dw

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## A. Casamayou & Co.,

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLEsale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS;

**Wines, Liquors, &c.,**

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## TAI YUEN & CO.,

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**Groceries, Clothing,**

And a General Assortment of

**CHINESE GOODS,**

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Purchasers from the Upper Country are invited to give us a call.

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## J. FINLAYSON,

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**Tea and Coffee Dealer,**

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Goods delivered to any part of the city. jo10

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Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de14

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## Charcoal! Charcoal!

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